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Genoua, Feb. 16.

THis Senate have ordered some additions to be made to the Fortifications of *Savona*, for the greater security of that place, and have sent thither the Sieur *Francesco Pallavacino* to have the care thereof. The Senate have likewise resolved to fit out four new Galleys, to joyn with the other six they have now abroad; and it is said, That they intend likewise to encrease their Forces by Land, because of the great jealousie they have of the designs of the French. We are expecting here the Marquiss *de los Velez* from *Naples*, who we hear has resigned the Government of that Kingdom to his Successor the Marquiss *de Liche*.

Turin, Feb. 20. The Court is returned hither from *Montcalier*, to the great satisfaction of people here, who begun to be very sensible of its absence. Some days since arrived an Express from *Lisbonne*, with Letters from the Duke of *Savoy*'s Minister at that Court, wherein he gave an account, That he had had an Audience of the Prince Regent, and among other things had acquainted his Highness with the Orders he had received from hence, to cause the Duke of *Savoy*'s Coaches and Horses, which were at *Lisbonne*, to return hither, to which the Prince Regent had very readily given his consent. We have other advices from *Lisbonne*, which inform us, That the Prince Regent was resolved to assemble the *Cortes* or States of that Kingdom, to advise with them about Marrying the *Infanta*. It is said, but without any certainty, That the great Duke of *Tuscany* proposes a Marriage between his Son and that Princess. A Regiment of Dragoons is raising here for the Service of the Most Christian King. The Marquiss *de Pianezza* continues under a close confinement, though it is said there are great Sollicitations in his favour.

Copenhagen, Feb. 20. The account which comes from *Sueden*, of the Preparations that are making in that Kingdom, in order to the transporting a considerable Body of Men in the Spring to *Pomerania*, as well as the forming a great Army at home, does give this Court a great deal of jealousie, and therefore the new Levies that are making here are very much hastened, and we are told, That Commissions for several other Regiments will be given out, and that this King has resolved to fit out to Sea a Fleet of 36 Men of War, which are to be ready to Sail by the beginning of *May*. The Queen-Mother is expected here the next Week from *Nicopping*, and then it's believed something will be done towards the composing the differences between the King of *Denmark* and the Duke of *Holstein*.

Vienna, Feb. 15. This Week arrived here the Baron *de Swerin*, in quality of Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector of *Brandenburg*; he has not yet had his Audience of the Emperor, but has seen the chief Ministers, and as we are informed, his Errand hither is to dispose this Court to Treat with the Crown of *France* upon the Proposals which the French Ambassadors made at *Francfort*. The conditions of the League now lately concluded between the Emperor and the Elector of *Bavaria*, are not yet divulged, and therefore what is reported of them is not to be relied upon. It was said, prelently after the Treaty was Signed, That the Elector was, in consideration of a Sum of Money, to furnish 13000 Men for the Emperor's Service, upon condition they were not to march out of the Empire; and now we are told, That his Electoral Highness is, by this Alliance, obliged to assist the Emperor with 10000 Men, to be employed at the Emperor's Charge in the Empire, and with 3000 at his own Charge, against the Turks. The Entercourse that has been since the Cessation of Hostilities between this Court and Count *Teckely*, has given encouragement to many to believe that the War would after all be diverted, but there is every day more and more reason to suspect that Count *Teckely* is not sincere in his Proceedings, and that the Turks, as they do vigorously prepare for, so do certainly intend, a War, which this Court is so sensible of, that the Preparations on this side are likewise made with all the zeal and application imaginable.

Strasburg, Feb. 19. All the discourse here is concerning the Camp which the Most Christian King intends to have on the *Soane*. The Baggage of the Marquiss *de la Tresoiere*, Lieutenant General of the Artillery, is arrived here, and he himself is expected in few days.

Cologne, Feb. 20. There will be a Conference held within few days between the King of *Denmark*, the Elector of *Brandenburg*, the Elector of *Cologne*, and the Bishop of *Munster*, who have agreed to send their Ministers for that purpose to *Soest*, in the County of *Marke*, and to invite the Electors of *Mentz* and of *Trier*, and the Elector Palatine likewise to send Deputies thither. This Meeting, as is said, is in order to the concerting measures between these Princes for the defence and security of their respective Territories, against whomsoever shall invade or trouble them, and for the procuring a firm and lasting Peace to the Empire. And of this intended Conference the Elector of *Cologne* gave notice to these Magistrates on Tuesday last, that if they thought fit, they might send Deputies thither to take care of their Interests, upon which they have not as yet taken any Resolution. The Deputies of the City of *Liege* are still here, but without any Prospect of an Accommodation.

Cologne, Feb. 26. The Sieur *Lenthe*, who arrived here from *Francfort* upon the breaking up of that Conference, with the Character of Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Denmark*, parted from hence some days agone for *Soest*, whither the Elector